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FIRST CAST THE BEAM, ETC.

Oklahoma has a governor in the person of Lee Cruce who does not believe in capital punishment. He thinks that according to the teachings of the Bible, as interpreted by his own mind and heart and conscience, one man is forbidden the taking of that from another which he can not restore. If the man shoots another down in cold blood, or sinks the knife of assassination between his shoulders, has violated the laws of God and robbed the victim of the God-given vital spot, his punishment should, in the opinion of Governor Cruce, rest with the God whose laws have been violated. In other words, "the Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away," and no conditions and no existing laws of man will justify the taking of a human life in punishment or retaliation—the robbing of the body of a fellow man of that vital spark which the hand of man can not return to him.

Whether or not Lee Cruce is actuated by purely conscientious scruples in entertaining the opinion he does upon the subject of capital punishment, it is not for man to say. The writing, "Judge not lest ye be judged," is seemingly just as pertinent and is undoubtedly just as much a part of the scriptures as are the words, "He who sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed."

Acting, as far as man should judge, according to the dictates of his own conscience, Lee Cruce, since he has been governor of the state of Oklahoma, has never signed a death warrant. Consequently his hands are unstained by the blood of even a legal execution. Whether he is right in this or not, it should not be for man to judge. His case should be just as much in the hands of God as though he were himself upon trial and his own life in jeopardy.

However, in a sermon delivered from one of the pulpits of the state, a minister of the gospel of the Christ who gave his life that the sins of man might be forgiven, has seen fit to attack the governor for the stand which he has taken in this matter. Rev. J. S. Millin of the Presbyterian church in a sermon delivered last Sunday, denounces the stand of the

governor and says that the laws of Moses which set forth that the taker of human life shall have his own life taken—that the laws which say "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" are still on the statute books of God Almighty and that the laws of forgiveness as laid down five thousand years later by the Nazarene did not repeal their iron-bound rigor.

It is not for this paper nor for the people of this state to question the good intentions which the reverend gentleman seemed to think justified his attack upon the scruples of the state's executive head. It is not for the press of the state to say whether he who would cast the mote from the eye of a brother should first pluck the beam from his own. It is not for the press of the state to say whether the cause of Christianity is bettered and its interests advanced by the dragging of the conscientious scruples of any one man before the bar of the church. It is not for the press of the state to say whether the hearts of the people are purified by listening to an advocacy of mob law from the pulpit. It is not for the press of the state to say whether the sons and daughters of man are made purer and better from worshipping a God of Love and not of Vengeance. It is not for the press of the state to say that the pulpit is prostituted when personally attacks are made from it, but the fact has become axiomatic that the spirit of forgiveness, the acts of justice tempered with mercy makes this a better world and that our civilization is today farther advanced, under the gentle commutation system as practiced by all the executives of every country, than it was in the days of the bloody assizes when the legal butcher Jeffries hanged and beheaded in the name of the law.

"An eye for an eye" is still written in the Bibles of the Christians, the story of Cain still remains a part of the history of the early days of the creation, the stories of concubinage, of rapine and lust gratification may yet be found the admonition to "Judge not lest ye be judged," and the ELEVENTH commandment given to us as a "rule of action" by the gentle Savior when He walked among men.

FAITHFUL DOG.

Watches Beside Wounded Master for Four Days.

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 19.—To the fidelity and devotion of his dog, Louie Juery, a prominent Rogers county farmer, owes his life. Juery left home about five days ago for a few hours' squirrel shooting. His dog accompanied him. His gun exploded as he fired at a squirrel and Juery received a dangerous wound in the face that rendered him unconscious for four days. Not a minute of the time his master was unconscious did the faithful dog relax his watchful vigil. The first sight that greeted Juery's eyes as he came to was his dog gazing intently into his master's face.

Juery tied a red handkerchief about the dog's neck and told him to go home. The animal stood there as fast as he could travel in his weakened condition. The family, recognizing the handkerchief, followed the dog and were taken to the wounded man. They had almost given the man up for dead when the dog appeared.

Juery yesterday was taken to a Claremore hospital. Physicians say he may recover, but will lose the sight of an eye.

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50TH ANNIVERSARY OF LINCOLN'S EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION

(By Winfield Jones.)

Washington, Sept. 19.—A national jubilee in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the issuance of the emancipation proclamation by Abraham Lincoln, September 22, 1862, will be held under the auspices of the National Emancipation Commemorative Society in this city, September 22 to 26.

The jubilee is to consist of a series of events covering many matters of interest to the negro race. Arrangements are being perfected to have a kind of "jubilee prelude" to consist of a sermon or short talk by the pastor or by some selected speaker at the Sunday morning service, September 22, in each of the Washington churches. In the afternoon at three o'clock the jubilee will be formally opened with a monster service of song and thanksgiving in Metropolitan A. M. E. Church. An elaborate program, arranged by Prof. John T. Layton, will be presented. It will exemplify the musical accomplishments of the American negro. Features of the program will be the rendition of old-time plantation melodies by a choir of a hundred voices, and the instrumental performance of work by such composers as Liszt, Wagner, Cook and Herbert. At this meeting the new president of Howard University will make his first public appearance.

The second day of the jubilee will take the form of a general sociological congress. The main subject for discussion will be "A permanent congress of colored Americans: A racial necessity." The principal addresses will be delivered by D. Webster Davis of Richmond, and Dr. Philander P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education. Other speakers will include James D. Carr, J. Frank Wheat-

on, Bishop Alexander Walters of New York, W. Justin Carter of Harrisburg, the Rev. W. W. Matthews, Prof. R. R. Wright, and J. H. A. Brazleton of Oklahoma City.

A part of the work of the sociological congress will be the perfecting of plans for the organization of a permanent congress of negro Americans, to meet annually in Washington.

Tuesday, September 24, will be devoted to the National Congress of Colored Educators, composed of delegates appointed by the governors of the several states and the commissioners of the district of Columbia, for the purpose of attending this educational conference. As members of the conference on education will sit, also, representatives from various universities, colleges, seminaries, church organizations, as well as fraternal and civic bodies.

The speakers at the educational congress include Kelly Miller, Roscoe Conkling Bruce, and Dr. Lucy E. Mott, of Washington; Mason A. Hawkins of Baltimore, E. L. Blackshear of Texas, James B. Dudley of North Carolina, W. S. Scarborough of Ohio, and Julian Page of Oklahoma.

On Wednesday, September 25, the woman's congress will take place. Mrs. Mary Church Terrell, of Washington will preside, and women who have achieved distinction in many lines of effort among the colored people will be present and speak.

The closing day will be devoted to an interdenominational religious congress. Bishops, distinguished prelates and laymen from all denominations will be present and deliver addresses. The closing event will be a reception by the women.

MINISTER CRITICISES CRUCE

"Capital Punishment, The Divine Penalty for Murder," He Says.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Sept. 19.—The position of Governor Cruce in commuting death sentences to life imprisonment was placed at issue in a sermon delivered by Rev. J. R. Millin, pastor of the United Presbyterian church who openly condemned the governor's policy of leniency in capital offenses. He complimented the dispatch with which the law's verdict in the cases of Beattie and Richeson was carried out.

Text for the sermon was "Capital punishment, the divine penalty for murder," in which he referred to the multiplicity of homicides in Oklahoma, saying that it might be expected as long as the executive by his acts prevented the law being carried out.

"Let the governor take the heart the text of the evening, 'Whoso sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed, for in the image of God made he man,' said the pastor. He referred to the words of Christ on the Mount: 'Ye hath heard that it hath been said: An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth, but I say unto you, whosoever shall smite thee on the right cheek, turn him the other also.' The pastor said that the Christ was not referring to the law of the state, but was preaching against personal resentment; that the state, not the individual should mete out punishment and in so doing the state must be regarded as the agent of the Lord. Capital punishment, he said, was preachable, but not debatable, and must be settled by the Scriptures, with opinion having no place in the matter, and philosophy no voice.

To distinguish properly between personal resentment and the orderly process of law in punishing crime Rev. Mr. Millin read from the twelfth and thirteenth chapters of Paul's Epistle to the Romans, and asserted that death as a divine penalty for murder in cold blood was affirmed in both the Old and the New Testaments.

"But, you will ask, what of the case of Cain," said he. "Cain slew his brother because that brother was righteous and Cain was wicked, and whom the Lord left unpunished. The case of Cain proves too much, therefore proves nothing. Let punishment be withheld from murderers, as it was with Cain, and the world will run to anarchy. God gave the law of divine penalty, and it was God's business if he withheld it from Cain. But the Lord knew that it would not work, so in later days he destroyed by flood all of Cain's progeny save eight whom he alone regarded as being fit to become mothers on earth. A world was destroyed because one murderer escaped the death penalty.

"The state has no opinion in the

case of murder. There is no ransom, no explanation except by the blood of him that shed it. The mob is often right at heart. It fails because not appointed of God. The mob is simply the delirium of justice. What we need in Oklahoma is swift justice as went to Beattie and Richeson."

PLAN TO KEEP LIQUOR OUT.

United States Marshall Will Put Patrol on Oklahoma Border.

Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 19.—To patrol the border of eastern Oklahoma along the Kansas, Arkansas and Texas lines is the plan being worked out here by United States Marshal Grant Victor to enforce the federal liquor law and prevent the introduction of intoxicating liquors into that section of Oklahoma known as Indian Territory and what is legally known as "Indian" country. Victor's announcement that he was to appoint ten to twenty deputies brought scores of men to his office to apply for jobs. Only two have so far been appointed. Most of the applications are made in person by old-time peace officers. They trooped into the Metropolitan building today booted and spurred, and as they lacked to picture them as old-time deputies was the heavy belt and big revolver.

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With Her Egg Money, Maybe.

An Atchison woman while on a shopping trip the other day ran across some lace for \$7.50 a yard. While she stood wondering whether she could afford to buy a couple of dollars' worth of it, a farmer's wife came along and bought the whole bolt without batting an eye.—Kansas City Journal.

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